

<p style="text-align: center;">Minutes of the Meeting of the University Curriculum Committee May 17, 2011</p>

Bernard Mair convened the UCC at 1:30 in 226 Tigert Hall.

Members Present: Bernard Mair, Jean Ballantyne, Kelli McCormack Brown, Tom Dana, Ken Gerhardt, Stephanie Hanson, Selman Hershfield, David Julian, Edmund Kellerman, Mark Law, John Leavey, Wayne McCormack, David Pharies, Brian Ray, David Reed, Elaine Turner

Liaisons: Steve Pritz, David Sammons, Venita Sposetti

Guests: Roxanne Barnett, Daniel Brown, Ann Goodson, Milagros Pena, Whitney Sanford, Haywood Smith, Jr.

1. Approval of minutes of April 19, 2011 meeting.

Minutes were approved as amended to include an additional attendee.

2. Update from Faculty Senate.

The School of Advanced Dental Sciences and the International studies major were both approved by the Faculty Senate.

3. Updates from Dr Mair.

Dr Mair informed the committee that Kimberly Martin was hired to work part-time this summer to help streamline some UCC processes, the website, and develop an FAQ.

Next year's catalog deadline will need to be earlier than this past year's April deadline. April was too late for UCC approval based on the catalog timeline.

4. Proposed changes to the Wildlife Ecology and Conservation Curriculum, effective Summer B 2012.

The change is a result of the current College of Agricultural and Life Sciences curriculum enhancement process. This proposal was amended to remove ZOO4435 from the approved electives because it is not offered at UF. The request was approved as amended.

5. Proposed revision to the existing Astronomy B.S. Major Requirements, effective Summer 2012.

Dr Pharies discussed that the request was tabled in 2010 due to revisions to the B.A. changes, however the B.S. changes were never brought back up to the committee. The proposal was approved.

6. Items from Graduate School (information only).

- Proposal for an OnMED program

- Proposal for a joint PhD. Degree with L'Institut National Polytechnique de Toulouse

7. Notice of proposed new undergraduate courses.

Liberal Arts and Sciences

- BSC2XXX – Global Change Ecology and Sustainability – **Approved**
- BSC4911 – Advanced Mentored Research in Biology – **Conditionally Approved**
- INS4XXX – Senior Research Seminar in International Studies – **Recycled** - Revisions needed: update course description and include grading rubric as discussed and address committee's concerns regarding research methods. This course request should be submitted either at the same time or after the prerequisite course (INS3XXX).
- PCB4XXXC – Evolutionary Biogeography – **Approved**
- POS2XXX – Politics of Sustainability – **Approved**
- POS44XX – Islam and European Politics – **Conditionally Approved**
- POS44XX – The Politics of Modernity – **Conditionally Approved**
- REL2XXX – Sustainability and Religion – **Conditionally Approved**
- REL3XXX – Religion and Food – **Conditionally Approved**

Education

- SMT3XXXC – Classroom Interactions in Mathematics and Science Education – **Conditionally Approved**

Medicine

- MEL3962 – Fundamentals of Teaching in Medicine – **Recycled** – Revisions needed: course description should describe content, 4000 level courses should have prerequisites, and syllabus should be revised to include all UF required content.

Agricultural and Life Sciences

- ALS2XXX – Bioterrorism – **Conditionally Approved**
- ENY4XXX – Beekeeping – **Conditionally Approved**
- MCB2XXX - Programming For Biologists – **Approved**
- WIS2XXX – Wildlife Colloquium – **Approved**

8. Notice of proposed changes to undergraduate courses.

Journalism

- JOU4412 – Advanced Design – **Approved**

Liberal Arts and Sciences

- REL2164 – Religion and Science – **Conditionally Approved**
- ZOO4403C – Field Problems in Marine Biology – **Approved**

Nursing

- NUR4944L – Transition to Professional Practice – **Conditionally Approved**

Engineering

- BME4503L – Biomedical Instrumentation Laboratory – **Approved**

- EEL4834 – Programming for Electrical and Computer Engineers – **Approved**
- ESI4161C – Industrial Applications of Microprocessors – **Approved Agricultural and Life Sciences**
- AEC3033C – Research and Business Writing in Agricultural and Life Sciences – **Approved**
- ENY4701 – Forensic Entomology – **Approved**
- WIS3403C – Perspectives in Wildlife Ecology and Conservation – **Approved**
- WIS4203C – Introduction to Landscape Ecology – **Conditionally Approved**
- WIS4945C – Wildlife Techniques – **Conditionally Approved**

9. Notice of proposed new professional courses.

Veterinary Medicine

- VEM5003 – End of Life Issues – **Conditionally Approved**
- VEM5890 – Consultations in Shelter Animal Medicine Clerkship – **Approved**

10. Notice of proposed changes to professional courses.

Medicine

- MEL7937 – Elective Topics/Pediatrics – **Approved**
- MEL7933 – Elective Topics/Ophthalmology – **Approved**
- MEL7931 – Elective Topics/Neurological Surgery – **Approved**
- MEL7930 – Elective Topics/Neurology – **Approved**
- MEL7936 – Elective Topics/Pathology – **Approved**

Veterinary Medicine

- VEM5191 – Introduction to Vet Behavior – **Conditionally Approved**

11. Notice of proposed new joint graduate/undergraduate level courses.

- none

12. Notice of proposed new graduate courses (information only).

- none

13. Notice of proposed changes to graduate courses (information only).

- none

The meeting adjourned at 2:53 p.m.